AMRUT MAHAL DEPARTMENT.

NOTICE.

The 11th December 1886.

The Commissary General, Madras, will sell by public auction in the Commissariat Cattle Lines at Hunsur from and after the 11th December 1886 between 2 and 5 P. M., each day, the following surplus stock of cattle of the Mysore Amrut Mahal Breed, the property of the Madras Government :—

	No.
"Home Herd" cattle consisting of cows, heifers, male and female calves, and bulls ..	74.
Bullocks of 6 years' old and steers from 3 to 5 years of age	600.

Many of the steers are not castrated and will be fit for breeding purposes. Private offers for the purchase of single cattle, pairs or lots will be considered by the Commissary General.

Terms.—Cash.

A. C. HAY, *Colonel*,
In charge, Hunsur Cattle Depôt.

ANCHE DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

No . 473—242. *The 9th December* 1886.

In continuation of Notification No. 385—195 of the 20th October 1886, it is hereby notified for general information that, under the authority of the Dewan of Mysore, a Village Anche Office has been established at Handanakere in the Chikanayakanhalli Taluk.

B. MURRY GUNGIAH,
Anche Bakshi.

DISTRICT.
TUMKUR D.

NOTIFICATION.

The 18th December 1886.

It is hereby notified for general information that the lac contract of all the Government jungles (including Maddagiri, Huliyurdurga and Devarayadurga forests) in the following Taluks of the Tumkur District for a period of three official years, namely 1887—88, 1888—89 and 1889—90, will be sold by public auction on the 5th February 1887 at Tumkur before the Deputy Commissioner or the Assistant Commissioner at Head-quarters :—

1. Tumkur.
2. Maddagiri.
3. Chiknayakanhalli.
4. Sira.
5. Gubbi.
6. Turuvekere.
7. Pavagada.
8. Kunigal.

II. The highest bidder shall, immediately on the contract being knocked down to him, pay a deposit either in ready money or currency notes, equal to the amount of 4 instalments of the entire contract amount, and if he fails to do so, the contract will be resold at once at his risk, and he will be liable for any loss that may be caused to Government by the resale.

III. The accepted bidder shall enter on his contract on the 1st April 1887 and shall pay his first monthly instalment on or before the 15th May 1887, and all subsequent monthly instalments on or before the 15th of each successive month; such monthly payments being made without reference to the amount deposited. Instalments not paid within the 15th of the month will be charged with a full month's interest at 6 per cent per annum.

IV. Local cess of one anna for a rupee will be charged on the monthly instalments to be paid by the contractor.

V. Should there be failure or delay in the payment of the said instalments for two consecutive months, the contract will be liable to be cancelled summarily and will be resold at the risk of the defaulting contractor irrespective of the deposit amount, which will be forfeited to Government and the arrears recovered as land revenue demand.

VI. The contractor is not authorized by the virtue of his contract to cut, remove or damage the lac trees from which he takes the lac in the forests.

VII. The contractor shall not interfere with the recognized rights of inamdars.

VIII. The Deputy Commissioner reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning any reasons therefor.

P. N. KRISHNA MURTI,
Dy. Commissioner.

ASHTAGRAM CHANNEL DIVISION.

The 26th November 1886.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Tenders are invited for works in connection with the improvement and extension of the Rampur channel in Nanjangud Taluk.

The estimated cost of which is about Rs. 2,30,000.

II. Tenders should be sent in sealed covers, superscribed "Tenders for Rampur Channel works contract Section No....." to the Executive Engineer, Ashtagram Channel Division, and should reach him before noon on the 1st January 1887.

III. The works to be carried out are the construction of head sluices, &c., the widening, deepening and otherwise improving of the channel, the construction of distribution sluices, weirs, bridges and three aqueducts.

IV. The plans and schedules of estimated quantities for each contract and forms of tender can be seen at all reasonable times at the Executive Engineer's office, where copies of the specification can also be had on payment of Rs. 5.

V. The work will be divided into convenient sections, one or more of which may be tendered for by the same contractor; but the tenders for different sections must be made separately.

VI. The Executive Engineer does not bind himself to accept the lowest nor any tender, nor will he assign any reason for the non-acceptance of any tender.

VII. Contractors must execute contract bonds within 8 days of intimation being sent to them of the acceptance of their tenders.

VIII. No tenders will be received unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100 as earnest money, which will be returned to unsuccessful tenderers, but will be forfeited in the event of successful tenderers not executing their bonds within the prescribed time.